

# WHAT YOUTH WANT TO HEAR

Make your audience remember you



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## PERSONAL CONNECTION

Make your audience feel that they can relate to you. Why would your audience listen to a stranger when they can listen to a friend? Relate your topic to a personal experience you had, break the ice!



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## ENGAGE THE AUDIENCE

Show that you don't bite! Giving the audience opportunities to answer questions continues the conversation. You could even throw in an activity if it fits into your topic.



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## SEE AND BE SEEN

Make your presence known. Look among your audience, get a feel for who you are presenting to. Looking around gives the impression that you are confident and youthful audiences appreciate confidence.



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## PROPS/INTERACTIONS

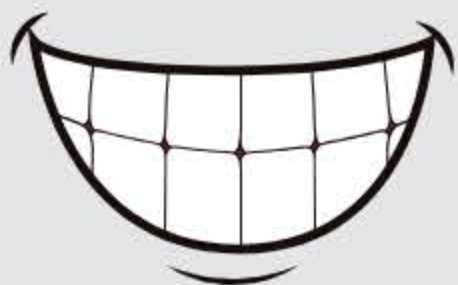
Is there anything that you can bring or use at a presentation? Physical props or anything that allows the audience to interact with the presentation is great! They create feelings of interest while pushing aside the lingering feeling of boredom that audiences can build up towards.



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## BE NORMAL, BE MODERN, BE YOU

Don't try to present like a person you aren't. If you feel awkward, your audience does too. Stay natural with your presenting and you'll find that your audience will gravitate towards what you are saying.



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## SMILE

Have you taken a look at your face in the mirror before you present? Smiling is incredibly important to a memorable presentation. Your audience will remember you more if you smile and make them feel comfortable. Smile and you'll get some smiles back; have fun with it!